drewn to the place where death in awful form awaited him. On a large cotton float a box had been placed and not top of that a chart, fiere smith was placed and securely bound and then surrounded by armed men to prevent any certburst from individuant. He was driven slowly to the pull- the square, around it and out to the place of death.

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Thousands followed the doomed man in his ride of despair, and the afrecis were limed with other thousands watching him pass. It was as solemn as belitted a cortege of the dead. Limp and quivering in his terror, his late drawn and distorted and ashen with the agony of thought and the horror of his impending doom, the figure of Henry Smith was an awful sight.

Out on the bare prairie, where stood scattering trees, the scaffold had been built. Four uprights supported, ten feet above ground, a platform ten free square, railed to, except on the south tide, where a stair ascended. In its center a strong post was set and braced

ander, where a stair ascended. In its center a strong post was set and braced on either side.

As the wagon approached, Henry Vance, the father of Smith's victim, appeared on the platform and asked the crowd, now densely packed for hundreds of yards away and numbering 10,000 persons, to be quiet; that he wanted for a while to get his revenge and then he would turn the prisoner over to anyone that wanted him. Here came the wagon, and Smith was carried upon the platform, atripped to the want and placed against the stake. His legs, arms and body were securely corded to it, and he was delivered over to Vance's vengeance and to explate to Vance's vengeance and to explate

Helt Could Not Equal It, A tinner's furnace was brought on filled with from bested white. Taking filled with from bested white. Taking one, Vance thrust it under first one and then the other side of his victim's fact, who helpless writhed as the flesh scarrell and peeled from the bones. Slowly, inch by inch, up his legs the from was drawn and redrawn, only the nervous, jerky twist of the muscles showing the agony being endured.

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time, and a prolonged scream of agony tent the air. Blowly across and around the body; slowly upward traced the traces, the withered, scarred flesh marking the progress of the awful punish-

By turns Smith screamed, prayed, begged and curred his torturer. he face was reached, his tongue was selenced by fire, and thence forth he only mouned or gave a cry that echoed over the prairie like the wail of a wild animal. Then his eyes were put out, and not a floger's breath of his body being anscattled, his executioners gave

lower limbs were then saturated with oil, as was the platform. The space beneath was filled with combustibles and the whole was covered with oil and fire simultaneously set to his feet and

Death Finally Came,

Slowly the flames wrapped him in their bluish veil. A moment they burned so, and then a shudder shook and a broken, quivering cry broke the published in a New York paper: "Three breatness silence and was echoed back men took shelter from a thunderstorm by shouts and crees from the more under a pollard willow. A flash of thoughtless below. Then the cords lightning atrack the tree and took in the crisped and blackened stimps to least, but threw bim down and violent-wine the sightless sockets of his eyes. ly stripped off his clothes, which were Then burned the chords about his burled a distance of twenty vards. The this remedy, and so keep in perfect health and spirits. I find it makes the the platform and lay there, writhing and quivering in the greedy flames.

One foot was still fast and held non on the bed of flames.

still animated by the supreme decree of trunk, converting the moisture into escape, rolled over on its face, rose steam and thus blowing off the bark. upon its arms, tracked up and caught It is supposed that the man's clothes the railing and with convuisive efforts had become drenched by the rain, and tore the bound leg loose and stood by a similar generation of steam there reeling on the stumps of his feet. It dragged itself nearly unright against the carling and then drooped sitting upon the burning platform, is hard and arms lying upon the rading and the legs daughing over the edge, and there hung a moment as though this bad nearly exhau-ted its little strength. Then, as the flames reared in a few minutes crawing out, only to be thenry land agent, and the debris of death come to Heavy Smith.

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Was from Port Horon. Cuscago, Feb. 1.—Hobert Thompson of Port Huron blew out the gas in his ruens at Conroy's hotel. He was found doctors any he will die. He had stopped off in Chicago on his way to visit friends in California, Mr. Toumpson was a man of means.

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Bar Cirk, Mich., Feb. 1.—Owen McGivern became involved in a fight last eight with "Bries" Thomas in the latter's saloon. McGivern received a stab in the neck which partially severed his windpipe and caused a fearful hemorrhage. The max was arrested at I o'clock this morning. He expressed regret because he did not kill McGivern outright. McGivern's injuries are liable to result fatally.

Married Measies and Girl. Married Measies and Girl.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Peb. 1.—Ed

Crane and Anna Belle Fletcher of Benton Marbor, loved each other and the
dayhad been setfor their wedding, when
Anna very thoughtlessly contracted a
well defined case of measies. This did
not frighten Ed, however. Sunday be
hustled around, got a parson and
promptly at the appointed hour Ed,
Anna and the measies were made one.

Cadillac Snowed Under. Cantillac showed Under.

Cantillac, Mich., Feb. I.—A blinding snow storm has been raging bere for forty-eight hours. Trains are all deliayed and the streets blocked. The commissioner's gang is unable to even clear Main street. The thermometer registers ten degrees above. All work in the lumber woods is suspended.

Tug Fired. MENOMINER, Mich., Feb. I.—A peculiar fire started at an early hour told morning in the cabin of the tug Heald. The origin of the fire was clearly incendiary, no one living on the tug this winter. The boat was damaged to the

extent of about \$300. Inoswoop, Mich., Feb. 1.—The ther-tometer stood 18 below zero at noon. Ab't o'clock this morning it was 52 below. Yesterday's blizzard equalled the worst of the winter.

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A man who gets his clothes wet in a thunderstorm may take comfort from the following remarkable tale recently nding the arms burned, and he raised one man. It did not injure him in the The discharge finds a moist pas-With one supreme effort, the body, sage down between the bark and the had been an explosion severe enough to rend his things from him and throw hith to the ground. Fortunately for him his wet clothes had formed a better conductor than his own body."

View of the Infant Terrible.

There was a middle-aged woman at around him, by an another effort he the Grand Central station the other sloped over the edge and fell to the morning, says the New York World, ground. The body tay there still, but attired in a dull, duric red cloth travelwas thrust into the mass of fire be- ing gown of the conspicuously inconpeach the scallest, from which it came | conspienous order. She was much admired by a little girl who held a gnylydressed doll in her arms. By and by the fire was pried on top and so did the well-dressed woman arose and moved across the waiting room, lifting her train as she did so, and revealing a allk lining of the most gorgeous chan-Mrs. Plaine Warns the Public Against a ter. It was of a warm shade of red, alsot with a golden light that shimmered Wassixuros, Feb. 1.-The following | nashe moved and a comple of pinked-out dust ruffles added to its elegance. The little girl watched in opened-eyed wonments of many biographics of James derived then said to her mother; "Mam-Blaine pretending to be authentic' maisrny do suppose that lady wears her dress wrong side out? Is it to keep the zight side closn?"

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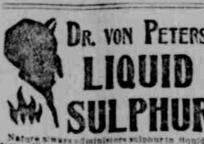
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